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> Re: Long-term Database Methods for Local Number Portability (LNP)

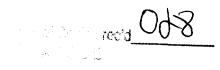
NSD File No. L-98-27, CC Docket No. 95-116

Order, DA 98-1265 (June 26, 1998) (Phase III Extension Order)

BellSouth September 15 Status Report

Dear Ms. Brown:

By the terms of the referenced Order, the Common Carrier Bureau, acting on delegated authority, granted BellSouth a waiver of the Phase III LNP implementation date until October 31, 1998, and a waiver of the Phase IV LNP implementation date until November 30, 1998, subject to BellSouth filing monthly status reports. As required by both the Phase III Extension Order and the Bureau's earlier Phase II Extension Order, DA 98-917 (May 15, 1998), BellSouth filed status reports on July 15, 1998 and August 14, 1998 detailing the progress BellSouth and Lockheed Martin made with respect to BellSouth's interface with the Lockheed Martin Number Portability Administration Center (NPAC) regional Service Management System (SMS) database, and on updating BellSouth's SMS interface with its internal systems, including its AIN SMS, Service Order Control System (SOCS), Product and Services Information Management System (PSIMS), and its Customer Revenue Information Systems (CRIS). Pursuant to the *Phase* III Extension Order, this September 15 report: (1) details the steps BellSouth has made and is making to implement all NANC 1.8 functionality as represented in BellSouth's June 8 Status Report; and (2) confirms that LNP is being offered or will be offered in BellSouth's MSAs consistent with the extensions granted by this and prior extension orders.²



Letter from Theodore R. Kingsley, General Attorney, BellSouth Corporation to Kathryn C. Brown, Chief, Common Carrier Bureau (June 8, 1998). BellSouth filed status reports dated May 8, 1998 and June 8, 1998 pursuant to the Bureau's Phase I Extension Order, DA 98-614 (March 31, 1998).

Phase III Extension Order ¶ 26.

I. BellSouth's Implementation of Remaining NANC 1.8 Functionality

BellSouth's May 15, 1998, ex parte and June 8, 1998 Status Report identified 58 change orders representing the difference between the state of BellSouth's NPAC interface developed by the former Local Number Portability Administrator (LNPA) Perot Systems, and the current LNPA, Lockheed Martin.³ Three of these change orders were not necessary for the ordering, provisioning or measuring processes necessary to implement LNP in the Southeast NPAC Region Phase I or Phase II MSAs.⁴

A. NPA Split Functionalities

NANC Change Orders 163 and 190 address LNP in a permissive dialing environment. ⁵ BellSouth began writing software source code for NPA split functionalities during the last two weeks in May, 1998. NPA split functionality is complete in the BellSouth AIN SMS (the interface with BellSouth's internal systems). The NPA split software completed certification testing with the Lockheed-Martin NPAC on September 11, 1998. NPA split functionality is scheduled to be in production on BellSouth's live production platform in its Charlotte Data Center by October 1, 1998. BellSouth remains on schedule to fully implement NPA split functionality by its Phase III LNP implementation deadline, October 31, 1998.

B. Expanded Filter Functionalities

NANC Change Order 144 enables the regional NPAC to screen data in accordance with messaging capabilities programmed into the local SMS software interfaces by individual carriers. This capability has been developed and is currently being tested both within the BellSouth AIN SMS and in the LNP Gateway. BellSouth remains on schedule to implement NANC Change Order 144 by the Phase III LNP implementation date of October 31, 1998.

C. Summary

BellSouth has implemented LNP with all NANC 1.8 functionality necessary to support the ordering and provisioning of LNP in Atlanta, Miami, Ft. Lauderdale and Orlando. Industry end-to-end (service provider to service provider) testing is more than 90% complete in Phase II MSAs (Miami, Ft. Lauderdale and Orlando). The additional NPA split and expanded filter functionalities will be in place during industry testing in New Orleans, Charlotte, Greensboro

³ Phase III Extension Order ¶ 23.

⁴ *Id.* These MSAs are Atlanta, Georgia (Phase I) and Miami, Ft. Lauderdale and Orlando, Florida (Phase II).

June 8 Status Report at 4.

⁶ Id.

and Nashville (Phase III) during the period September 16, 1998 through October 16, 1998; and in Memphis, Louisville, Jacksonville, Raleigh and Greenville (Phase IV) during the period October 14, 1998 through November 13, 1998. BellSouth has implemented LNP in the Atlanta MSA pursuant to the *Phase I Extension Order*, and BellSouth will implement LNP in the Southeast Region pursuant to all extension orders issued by the Bureau.

II. LNP is Being Offered in Atlanta and Will be Offered on Time in BellSouth's Remaining MSAs.

As we advised above and in our letter dated September 2, 1998, BellSouth implemented LNP in the Atlanta MSA on August 24, 1998. During the period August 24, 1998 through September 10, 1998, 344 telephone numbers were ported.

The problem which was reported to you in our letter of September 2, 1998 has been resolved. BellSouth has since encountered an intermittent problem associated with its Service Order Activation (SOA) interface. This software defect causes the SOA interface between the LNP Gateway and the NPAC to be taken out of service for an interval of less than one minute to several minutes. This defect interferes with the porting messages between a CLEC and BellSouth which could cause delays of several minutes in establishing proper routing instructions in the BellSouth network. This problem did not occur during end-to-end testing in Atlanta, nor has it occurred during Florida end-to-end testing. BellSouth assigned a team of software developers to work through the weekend to solve this problem. A software defect was identified and a patch will be tested today, September 15, 1998. At this juncture, it is not known whether this patch will resolve the root cause of the problem. However, we are optimistic that the software patch will, at a minimum, substantially reduce the probability of an out of service interval.

III. Detailed Work Plan.

BellSouth attaches to this report an LNP Critical Path Milestone chart for the period June 1998-October 1998; an LNP Gateway SMS schedule current as of September 8, 1998 which tracks the duration, start, finish and status of approximately 100 separate tasks related to development of the Lockheed Martin NPAC interface; and a separate schedule for BellSouth's LNP AIN SMS work effort identifying the duration, start, finish and status of approximately 29 separate tasks related to updating the BellSouth NPAC interface with its AIN SMS. Please note

Industry end-to-end test dates are determined by carrier consensus.

Letter from Cynthia K. Cox, Executive Director, Governmental Affairs, BellSouth D.C., Inc. to Kathryn C. Brown, Chief, Common Carrier Bureau (September 2, 1998).

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that lines 84 and 85, page 7, should be updated to reflect the progress made with respect to NPA split testing as follows:

$\overline{\mathbf{m}}$	Task	Duration	Start	Finish	% Comp.
84	NPA Split Pretesting from Atlanta T-1	4 days	9/9/1998	9/11/1998	100%
85	NPA Split Testing from Atlanta T-1	5 days	9/14/1998	9/16/1998	100%

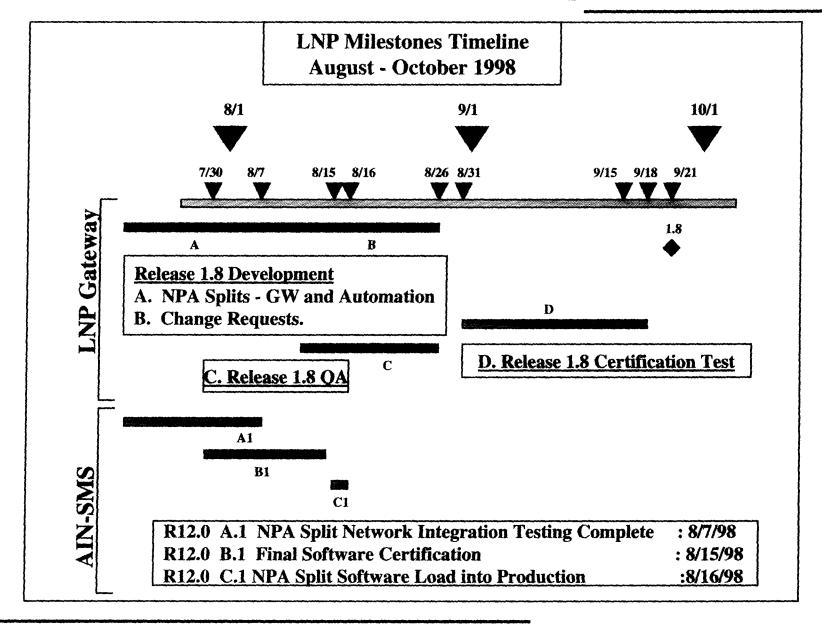
A copy of this status report is being mailed to all carriers who have filed requests for extension of time within the Southeast NPAC Region, as well as all those who commented on BellSouth's earlier filed Petition.

Very truly yours,

Theodore R. Kingsley

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1	LNP Requirements Issued		1 day	3/31/1997	3/31/1997	100%							-
2	Software Development SMS	5 10.2	66 days	5/15/1997	8/14/1997	100%							Par (Barrera
3	Development & Integration	on Testing	44 days	5/15/1997	7/15/1997	100%							Turney Control of Cont
4	System Testing		28 days	7/8/1997	8/14/1997	100%		<u> </u>					4 + 10 + 10 + 10 + 10 + 10 + 10 + 10 + 1
5	Network Integrity and Reliabil	ity Testing	7 days	8/15/1997	8/23/1997	100%							
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8	Software Development SMS	Release 11.0	44 days	10/8/1997	12/8/1997	100%							and the state of t
9	Development & Integration	on Testing	7 days	10/8/1997	10/16/1997	100%		:					
10	System Testing		31 days	10/27/1997	12/8/1997	100%							1111
11	Network Integrity & Reliability	Testing	15 days	12/23/1997	1/12/1998	100%					T		
12	Final Certification for SMS Re	lease 11.0	1 day	2/8/1998	2/8/1998	100%					-		
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14	NANC Compliance Analysis	 , 	30 days	2/10/1998	3/23/1998	100%							
15	Requirements		30 days	3/23/1998	5/1/1998	100%							(proton najponi
16	NPAC Issues Resolved		6 days	3/23/1998	3/30/1998	100%					Ĭ	•	Direct control of
17	Issue Draft for Engineerin	g Review	11 days	3/23/1998	4/6/1998	100%							medical production of
18	Issue Final Requirements	·	1 day	4/15/1998	4/15/1998	100%					-	ļ	H ratel Comment
19	System Design		13 days	4/15/1998	5/1/1998	100%							The state of the s
20	Software Development SMS	Release 12.0	102 days	3/16/1998	7/31/1998	100%				and the second			
21	Dev. & Integ. Testing NPA	AC Issues	32 days	4/30/1998	6/12/1998	100%				1000	•		
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22	Test Case Development NPAC Issues	10 days	6/1/1998	6/12/1998	100%							
23	System Testing NPAC Issues	21 days	6/19/1998	7/15/1998	100%						_	
24	Network Integrity and Reliability Testing	17 days	7/1/1998	7/23/1998	100%	 					_	THE REAL PROPERTY.
25	Dev. & Integ. Testing NPA Splits	48 days	3/16/1998	5/20/1998	100%							
26	Test Case Development NPA Splits	22 days	4/28/1998	5/27/1998	100%							
27	System Testing NPA Splits	45 days	5/22/1998	7/23/1998	100%							***************************************
28	Network Integrity and Reliability Testing	19 days	7/7/1998	7/31/1998	100%						•	
29	Final Certification	1 day	8/15/1998	8/15/1998	100%							

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ID	0	Task Name	Dur	Start	<u>Finish</u>	% Comp	Pred	Res in
1		Summary Release Schedule	165 days	Wed 2/11/98	Wed 9/30/98	96%		
2	~	Sign Contract with vendor	1 day	Fri 2/13/98	Fri 2/13/98	100%		Client
3	~	Requirements - Release 1.6	19 days	Wed 2/11/98	Mon 3/9/98	100%		
4	~	Complete NANC 1.1 to NANC 1.8 upgrade requirements	14 days	Wed 2/11/98	Mon 3/2/98	100%		S&T
5	V	Approve NANC 1.1 to NANC 1.8 upgrade requirements	5 days	Tue 3/3/98	Mon 3/9/98	100%	4	Dev
6	✓	Network and Communications - Release 1.6	31 days	Mon 2/16/98	Mon 3/30/98	100%		
7	~	Set up test system for dial-up testing to DSET	10 days	Mon 2/23/98	Fri 3/6/98	100%	S (4. 48	Ops
8	~	Install T1 lines to Lockheed	29 days	Mon 2/16/98	Thu 3/26/98	100%		IT
9	√	Test Connectivity to Chicago NPAC with T1	2 days	Fri 3/27/98	Mon 3/30/98	100%	8	IT
10	~	Development (includes QA) - Release 1.6	60 days	Mon 3/2/98	Fri 5/22/98	100%		
11	V	Release 1.5 - LNP Gateway modifications to support GDMO recompilation changes only for NANC 1.8; this will allow BellSouth to successfully complete Interoperability Tests	27 days	Mon 3/2/98	Tue 4/7/98	100%		Dev
12	~	Development and Unit Test of Release 1.6 - Implement NANC 1.8 Change Orders in LNP Gateway based on Requirements identified in Task 5 above; these are functional changes to the LNP Gateway	24 days	Mon 3/16/98	Thu 4/16/98	100%	5	Dev
13	V	Code Freeze of Release 1.6	0 days	Thu 4/16/98	Thu 4/16/98	100%	12	Dev
14	V	QA and System test of Release 1.6	17 days	Fri 4/17/98	Mon 5/11/98	100%	12	Dev
15	~	Development and Unit Test of Release 1.6.1 - Maintenance release to correct defects including Recovery	29 days	Wed 4/1/98	Mon 5/11/98	100%		Dev
16	~	Code Freeze of Release 1.6 .1	0 days	Mon 5/11/98	Mon 5/11/98	100%	15	Dev
17	V	QA and System test of Release 1.6.1	9 days	Tue 5/12/98	Fri 5/22/98	100%	15	Dev

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18	~	Test Planning - Release 1.6	25 days	Mon 2/23/98	Fri 3/27/98	100%		
19	~	Negotiate with Lockheed on required interoperability tests and test process	15 days	Mon 2/23/98	Fri 3/13/98	100%		Ops
20	~	Negotiate with Lockheed on required turn-up tests and test process	15 days	Mon 3/9/98	Fri 3/27/98	100%		Ops
21	V	Develop test plans	20 days	Mon 3/2/98	Fri 3/27/98	100%		Ops
22	V	Release Testing - Release 1.6	70 days	Mon 2/23/98	Mon 6/1/98	100%		
23	~	Accept LNP Release 1.1 - Load Dial-up system and Atlanta & Charlotte Data Center	10 days	Mon 2/23/98	Fri 3/6/98	100%		Ops
24	~	Accept LNP Release 1.5 (includes Automation and Recompile of GDMO)	5 days	Wed 4/8/98	Tue 4/14/98	100%	11	Ops
25	~	Release 1.5 loaded on Charlotte Production System	0 days	Tue 4/14/98	Tue 4/14/98	100%	24	Ops
26	V	Accept LNP Release 1.6 (includes all required NANC 1.8 changes)	4 days	Tue 5/12/98	Fri 5/15/98	100%	14	Ops
27	~	Release 1.6 loaded on Charlotte Production System	0 days	Fri 5/15/98	Fri 5/15/98	100%	26	Ops
28	~	Accept Release 1.6.1 (Maintenance release including correction of Recovery defects)	5 days	Tue 5/26/98	Mon 6/1/98	100%	17	Ops
29	~	Release 1.6.1 loaded on Charlotte Production System	0 days	Sat 5/30/98	Sat 5/30/98	100%		Ops
30	~	Certification Testing - Release 1.6	98 days	Mon 3/9/98	Fri 7/24/98	100%		
31	~	Interoperability Testing - LNP Gateway (NANC 1.1 & Gateway Release 1.1) with DSET (NANC 1.7) - Dial-Up	15 days	Mon 3/9/98	Fri 3/27/98	100%	7	Ops
32	~	Start Turnup Testing in Chicago with Lockheed Release 1.2 and LNP Gateway Release 1.1	7 days	Tue 3/31/98	Wed 4/8/98	100%	9	Ops
33	~	Start Turnup Testing in Chicago with Lockheed Release 1.3 and LNP Gateway Release 1.5	19 days	Wed 4/15/98	Mon 5/11/98	100%	25	Ops
34	~	Turn-up Testing - Certification of LNP Gateway Release 1.6 (and 1.6.1) in Chicago with Lockheed Release 1.3 (Contains all functional changes for NANC 1.8)	26 days	Mon 5/18/98	Tue 6/23/98	100%	27	Ops

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LNP	Gateway SMS Project Plan					
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Southeast Region SP to SP (paired) testing	3 days	Wed 6/24/98	Fri 6/26/98	100%	34	Ops
Southeast Region Round Robin testing	2 days	Mon 6/29/98	Tue 6/30/98	100%	35	Ops

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Southeast Region Performance testing

Southeast Region DR testing

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39	V	Georgia Field Testing - Release 1.6	103 days	Mon 3/23/98	Thu 8/13/98	100%		
40	~	Generate Run Books for TSC	30 days	Mon 3/23/98	Fri 5/1/98	100%		Ops
41	~	TSC (6 weeks) to incorporate Run Books	30 days	Mon 5/4/98	Mon 6/15/98	100%	40	Client
42	~	Intra Company Testing Phase 2	24 days	Mon 5/4/98	Fri 6/5/98	100%		Client
43	~	Intra Company Testing Phase 2a	7 days	Mon 6/22/98	Tue 6/30/98	100%		Client
44	~	Reset Database	2 days	Mon 7/13/98	Tue 7/14/98	100%		Client
45	~	Georgia CLEC End to End Testing	23 days	Wed 7/15/98	Thu 8/13/98	100%		Client
46	~	Testing with AIN R12 and GW R1.6	5 days	Mon 8/10/98	Fri 8/14/98	100%		
47	~	Ready to Accept Porting Orders in Georgia	0 days	Mon 8/17/98	Mon 8/17/98	100%		Client
48	~	Earliest possible due date for Porting Orders in Georgia	0 days	Mon 8/24/98	Mon 8/24/98	100%		Client
49	V	End of Phase I MSA (Georgia)	0 days	Mon 8/31/98	Mon 8/31/98	100%		Client

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50		Florida Field Testing - Release 1.6 & Release 1.7	21 days	Mon 8/17/98	Mon 9/14/98	81%	1	
51		Florida CLEC End to End Testing	21 days	Mon 8/17/98	Mon 9/14/98	81%		Client
52		Ready to Accept Porting Orders in Florida	0 days	Mon 9/21/98	Mon 9/21/98	0%		Client
53		End of Phase 2 MSA (Florida)	0 days	Wed 9/30/98	Wed 9/30/98	0%		Client
54	~	LNP Gateway Release 1.7 Schedule	135 days	Mon 2/23/98	Sun 8/30/98	100%		
55	V	Development and unit test of Release 1.7 - LNP functional implementation of Electronic Data Interface (EDI) Issue 7 for mechanized exchange of Orders.	80 days	Mon 2/23/98	Mon 6/15/98	100%		Dev
56	~	Code Freeze of Release 1.7	0 days	Mon 6/15/98	Mon 6/15/98	100%	55	Dev
57	~	QA and system test of Release 1.7	33 days	Tue 6/16/98	Fri 7/31/98	100%	55	Dev
58	V	Accept LNP Release 1.7 (includes Issue 7) for testing into the Atlanta Data Center	2 days	Mon 8/3/98	Tue 8/4/98	100%	57	Ops
59	~	Turn-up Testing from Atlanta T3 - Certification of LNP Release 1.7 with Lockheed on Chicago testbed	18 days	Wed 8/5/98	Thu 8/27/98	100%	58	Ops
60	~	EDI Pre Testing from Atlanta T1	7 days	Fri 8/7/98	Fri 8/14/98	100%		Ops
51	~	EDI CLEC (MediaOne and MCI) Testing from Atlanta T1	5 days	Mon 8/17/98	Fri 8/21/98	100%		Ops
52	~	Move Release 1.7 from Atlanta to Charlotte	1 day	Fri 8/28/98	Fri 8/28/98	100%	59	Ops
3		Release 1.7 in Production on the Charlotte Production System	0 days	Sun 8/30/98	Sun 8/30/98	100%		Client

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64	V	TA 1.7 Release Schedule	119 days	Mon 2/23/98	Sat 8/8/98	100%		
65	~	Development and QA of TA Release 1.7	88 days	Mon 2/23/98	Thu 6/25/98	100%		Dev
66	~	Accept TA Release 1.7 into the Atlanta Data Center	2 days	Fri 6/26/98	Mon 6/29/98	100%	65	Ops
67	~	Load TAG into Atlanta, Miami, and Charlotte	1 day	Mon 6/29/98	Mon 6/29/98	100%		Ops
68	~	Regression Testing from Atlanta - LNP Release 1.6 and TA Release 1.7	5 days	Tue 6/30/98	Tue 7/7/98	100%	66	Ops
69	~	Move TA Release 1.7 from Atlanta to Charlotte	1 day	Wed 7/8/98	Wed 7/8/98	100%	68	Ops
70	~	TA User Acceptance Testing from Atlanta	5 days	Thu 7/9/98	Wed 7/15/98	100%	69	Client
71	~	TA User Training from Atlanta	12 days	Thu 7/16/98	Fri 7/31/98	100%	70	Client
72	~	Move back end systems for TA from Atlanta Test system to Charlotte Production system	1 day	Sat 8/8/98	Sat 8/8/98	100%		Client
73	~	Training 1.7 - Release Schedule	41 days	Mon 7/6/98	Fri 8/28/98	100%		+
74	~	Development and QA of Training Release 1.7	31 days	Mon 7/6/98	Fri 8/14/98	100%		Dev
75	~	Accept and Load Training Release 1.7 and Load Pre-Release GW Release 1.7 onto the Training Simulator	3 days	Mon 8/17/98	Wed 8/19/98	100%	74	Ops
76	~	Perform "Train the Trainer" Training	2 days	Thu 8/20/98	Fri 8/21/98	100%	75	Client
77	~	Train the service reps (2 classes, about 2 days each)	5 days	Mon 8/24/98	Fri 8/28/98	100%	76	Client

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78		LNP Gateway Release 1.8 Schedule	71 days	Mon 6/15/98	Mon 9/21/98	71%		
79	V	Development and unit test of Release 1.8 - LNP functional implementation of NPA Splits	33 days	Mon 6/15/98	Thu 7/30/98	100%		Dev
80	~	Code Freeze of Release 1.8	0 days	Fri 7/31/98	Fri 7/31/98	100%		Dev
81	~	QA and system test of Release 1.8	20 days	Fri 7/31/98	Wed 8/26/98	100%	80	Dev
82	~	Accept LNP Release 1.8 (includes NPA Splits) for testing into the Atlanta Data Center	2 days	Thu 8/27/98	Fri 8/28/98	100%	81	Ops
83		Turn-up Testing from Atlanta T3 - Certification of LNP Release 1.8 with Lockheed on Clark testbed	14 days	Mon 8/31/98	Fri 9/18/98	10%		Ops
84	EE	NPA Split Pre Testing from Atlanta T1	4 days	Tue 9/8/98	Fri 9/11/98	0%		Ops
85		Npa Split Testing from Atlanta T1	5 days	Mon 9/14/98	Fri 9/18/98	0%		Ops
86		Move Release 1.8 from Atlanta to Charlotte	1 day	Sun 9/20/98	Sun 9/20/98	0%	83	Ops
87		Release 1.8 in Production on the Charlotte Production System	0 days	Mon 9/21/98	Mon 9/21/98	0%		Client
88		Training 1.8 - Release Schedule	25 days	Mon 8/17/98	Fri 9/18/98	66%		-
89	~	Development and QA of Training Release 1.8	16 days	Mon 8/17/98	Fri 9/4/98	100%		Dev
90		Accept and Load Training Release 1.8 and Load Pre-Release GW Release 1.8 onto the Training Simulator	2 days	Tue 9/8/98	Wed 9/9/98	25%	89	Ops
91		Perform "Train the Trainer" Training	2 days	Thu 9/10/98	Fri 9/11/98	0%	90	Client
92	-	Train the service reps (2 classes, about 2 days each)	5 days	Mon 9/14/98	Fri 9/18/98	0%	91	Client

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this 15th day of September 1998, serviced all parties to this action with the foregoing *BellSouth September 15 Status Report*, reference, NSD File No. L-98-27, CC Docket 95-116 by hand service or by placing a true and correct copy of the same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the parties as set forth on the attached service list.

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